GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Servants – MA & UD Department – Allegation of Corruption and other irregularities committed by Smt P.Nagaveni, former Municipal Commissioner, Chilakaluripet Municipality, Guntur District – Punishment of stoppage of two annual grade in increment with cumulative effect awarded – Review Petition – considered – Further action dropped – Orders issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT(VIG.IV.1)DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 280 Dated: 18-02-2009 Read the following:

Ref: 1. G.O.Rt.No.1537, MA & UD Depttt., Dated 31.12.2007

2. Govt. Memo No.2240/Vig.IV.1/2001-15, dated 7.3.2008

3. Review Petition from Smt P.Nagaveni dated 25.7.2008.

ORDER:

In the G.O. $1^{\rm st}$ read above orders were issued imposing punishment of stoppage of two annual grade increments with cumulative effect on Smt P.Nagaveni, former Municipal Commissioner, Chilakaluripet Municipality, Guntur District for the certain irregularities committed viz allowing Engineer to take advances for various works without maintaining ROC files and adjustment of the bills without ratification of council and purchase of lamps at excess rates rates. The review petition to reconsider orders was rejected in the Memo $3^{\rm rd}$ cited.

- 2. Smt P.Nagaveni, former Municipal Commissioner, Chilakaluripet Municipality and presently working as Deputy Commissioner, Serilingampally Circle of GHMC in her further review petition stated that ROC files are maintained and action pursued for adjust of advances given to Asst. Engineer and advances are adjusted even after transfer of Asst. Engineer, and not that she has taken action for supply of water to the citizens of Chilakaluripet Municipality duly obtaining approval of Chairperson under section 49 of A.P. Municipal Act 1965 and got the water from neighboring canal to the summer storage tank with good intention and got it done on war footing. She stated that the discharged duties as per the provisions of A.P. Municipal Act. She has requested to withdraw the orders in G.O.Rt.No.1537, dated 31.12.2007.
- 3. Government have re-examined that the entire issue. They observe that the Enquiry Officer has held that the charges are not proved and the APPSC also concurred with the findings of the Enquiry Officer and recommended to drop action. The Govt. also observe that even if the charges are held proved, the responsibility of Municipal Commissioner could only be of Supervisor lapse.
- 4. Having regards to the above circumstances, Government is hereby rescind the orders issued in the G.O. $1^{\rm st}$ read above and also drop all further action against Smt P.Nagaveni, former Municipal Commissioner, Chilakaluripet and presently working in GHMC, Serlingampally
- 5. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.C.V.S.K.SARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt P.Nagaveni, former Municipal Commissioner, Chilakaluripet Municipality
presently working in GHMC, Serilingampally through
The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad
The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad
//FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER